

COTTON MARKETS

Marking Time Feature of Trading - Weather and Summary Favorable.

Wednesday Afternoon, June 30.

The cotton market fails to display any snap on the eve of the double report from the government and nothing in the news today was regarded as of sufficient importance to occasion any change of consequence in values. The affair was a colorless one and each side of the time seemed content to wait. The result was narrow fluctuations, although further widening of differences between near and distant positions took place.

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The weather was a feature of the day, and the entire belt is highly favorable, and this morning the map showed practically no rain anywhere. Comparing the weather with the mail, but the good feature was the abundance of sunshine, for it is realized that this means retarding the season.

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The weekly summary came favorable as expected, being the best of the season, but was discounted, so had practically no effect on the market.

Liverpool was quiet at the close, and from 25 to 2 points to the bad, and while nothing was noted, the market was not of sufficient importance to give little attention to such.

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LIVERPOOL COTTON.

LIVERPOOL, June 30.—Cotton open in detail request, prices easy, good middling, 25.00; fully middling, 25.50; middling, 25.50; low middling, 25.00; good ordinary, 25.00; low ordinary, 24.50; sales on the spot 24.50.

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FROM WALL STREET

Tone of Stock Market Is Steady, But Fails to Throw Off Torpor.

NEW YORK, June 30.—Aside from its steady tone, there was no sign at the opening of today's trading that the stock market would throw off its torpor.

A few important issues in the oil, shipping and steel groups recorded advances ranging from liberal fractions to a point, but many former leaders in the industrial and railroad divisions were unquoted in the first 15 minutes of trading. Foreign exchange was easy in the preliminary quotations, but further tendencies were looked for in call and time money rates.

The independent steels and others of the prominent equipments extended their gains on reduced operations at middle steel, while elsewhere realizing profits caused moderate reactions. Central Leather was heavy and several of the minor industrial issues were under pressure on reports of prospective financing.

Range of prices of the New York stock exchange, with previous closing figures, furnished by Shepard & Gluck, Falls building.

	Allie Chalmers	37 1/2	37 1/4
	Am. Beet Sugar		
	Am. Can.	40 1/2	40
	Am. Car and Fld	134 1/2	138 1/2
	Am. H and L pld	91	90 1/2
	Am. Ice	58	57
	Am. Sugar and Ref	58	57
	Am. Sum		
	Am. Sund. Tob	88 1/2	87 1/2
	Am. T and T	93	92 1/2
	Am. Tobacco	55 1/2	55 1/2
	Atchison		
	Atl Coast		
	Atl. Gulf and W		
	I. ex-div & p.	159 1/2	159 1/2
	Baldwin Loco	119 1/2	117 1/2
	B. & O	38 1/2	38 1/2
	Beth. Steel	90	89 1/2
	Can. Pac		
	Can. Pac. Ctr	65 1/2	64 1/2
	Ches. and Ohio	51 1/2	51 1/2
	Chl. Mll and St. P.	32 1/2	32 1/2
	Chl. and N. W.	30 1/2	30 1/2
	Chino Copper	29	28 1/2
	Coca-Cola, Pac.		